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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK*
(POUNDS)

	TRUCK	TRUCK & EXPRESS	DUCKS	TOTAL
	DEALERS AT	(DIRECT RECEIVERS)	LONG ISLAND	RAIL & TRUCK
	TERMINAL	RECEIVERS)	TRUCK	:
MAY 6, 1943	230,102	310,610	7,960	548,672
MAY 7, 1943	244,324	297,105	7,280	548,709
TOTAL FOR WEEK	82,776	960,257	1,437,624	65,640
TOTAL LAST WEEK	85,927	569,954	666,203	35,450
				: 2,548,297
				: 1,357,534

*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS

NEW YORK: THERE WAS ONE CAR OF FOWLS REPORTED VIA FREIGHT AT LONG ISLAND CITY AND ONE CAR AT WEEHAWKEN, N.J. FOR THE NEW YORK LIVE POULTRY TRADE. BOTH CARS WERE CONSIGNMENT TO DIRECT RECEIVERS AND NO OFFERINGS WERE AVAILABLE FOR OPEN MARKET TRADING. MARKET MINIMALLY FIRM. TRUCK RECEIPTS TO DEALERS WERE VERY LIGHT AND FAR SHORT OF TRADE NEEDS. FOWLS CONTINUED IN ACUTELY SCARCE SUPPLY WITH ONLY ONE LOAD REPORTED FOR TODAY. ALTHOUGH THE BULK OF THIS LOAD WENT TO A DEALER'S PLACE OF BUSINESS, A FEW LIMITED SALES WERE CONSUMMATED ON THE OPEN MARKET. BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS MET ACTIVE TRADING AND ALL OFFERINGS CLEARED READILY. MARKET VERY FIRM. PRICES QUOTED ARE BASED ON MAXIMUM OPA CEILING LEVELS AND NOT ON ACTUAL SALES. THE 12 TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED: 9 DELAWARE CROSS, 1 MARYLAND CROSS, 1 WEST VIRGINIA CROSS AND ROCKS, MOSTLY CROSSES, TOTAL 11 SPRINGS, 1 TENNESSEE FOWL. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 189,763 POUNDS. ARRIVALS QUOTED AS FOLLOWS: ALL CLASSES OF GENERAL PURPOSE FOWL 4-5½ LBS AND UP A 28½, BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS ALL WEIGHTS A 32, OLD ROOSTERS ALL WEIGHTS 24½A.

PHILADELPHIA: LIVE POULTRY MARKET FIRM AND RECEIPTS VERY LIGHT. SOME SUPPLIES NOT SOLD ON EARLY MARKET DUE TO CONFUSION AS TO PRICE FOLLOWING WEEK-END ANNOUNCEMENT RELATIVE TO RETAIL PRICES. MANY DEALERS EXPRESS FEAR AS TO REMAINING IN BUSINESS UNLESS SOME ADJUSTMENTS ARE MADE TO ENCOURAGE SHIPMENTS TO THIS MARKET AND KEEP PRICES AT COUNTRY POINTS FROM GOING ABOVE OPA CEILINGS. LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS 61,536 LBS BY TRUCK, 1,192 LBS BY EXPRESS, TOTAL 62,728 LBS (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTER-MARKET DISTRIBUTION). REPORTED WHOLESALE PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: FOWL 28-28½, ROASTERS, FRYERS AND BROILERS 31-32.

BALTIMORE: LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS VERY LIGHT, MARKET FIRM. BROILERS AND FRYERS 31-32. FOWL 27-28½.

WASHINGTON: LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS VERY LIGHT. SOME BROILERS AND FRYERS AT 28½-29½.

CHICAGO: WHOLESALE RECEIVERS OF LIVE POULTRY IN CHICAGO OBTAINED ONLY 10,200 LBS SATURDAY MAY 8TH. ARRIVALS MONDAY AMOUNTED TO 31,958 POUNDS. TODAY'S RECEIPTS INCLUDED ONE CAR BY FREIGHT FROM TENNESSEE.

NEW YORK CITY PRICES ARE BROADCAST FROM WGY, SCHENECTADY DAILY AT 6:20 P.M., WOR., NEW YORK CITY AT 6:30 A.M. DAILY, AND WHCU, ITHACA, AT 12 NOON THE FOLLOWING DAY.

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